SENATE BILL 156

By Watson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 29 and Section 63-17-104, relative to the board of communications disorders and sciences.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-17-104, is amended by deleting present subdivision (b)(2) and by substituting instead the following:

(b)

(2) The physician member of the board may be selected by the governor from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Tennessee Academy of Otolaryngology and shall serve for a term of three (3) years. The governor shall consult with the Academy of Otolaryngology before making appointments to the board. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in the office of a physician member of the board, an appointment shall be made as provided in this section, and the person so appointed shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term; and SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011, the public welfare requiring it.